



“Roshel selected Brampton as the center of our operations because it gives us the scale and connectivity needed to deliver defence products on a global stage. The city offers access to a deep pool of technical talent, excellent transportation corridors and close proximity to key suppliers and international trade routes. Brampton’s support for advanced manufacturing has further reinforced our decision to grow here. From this base, we are able to design, build, and export Canadian-made armored vehicles that meet the most demanding requirements of our customers worldwide.”

Roman Shimonov
CEO
Roshel

Driven in Space. Secure in Cyber. Bold in Defence.

Brampton anchors two of Canada’s twelve defence Original Equipment Manufacturers (OEMs) and sits at the heart of North America’s second largest tech cluster, optimally-built for space, cybersecurity and defence.



1.5K+

Companies in Advanced Manufacturing Supply Chain

14K+

Direct jobs across Ontario’s defence sector

\$5.1B+

Annual defence sector revenue in Ontario

21

Post-secondary Institutions within 1 Hour Proximity

1K+

Skilled jobs across 25- defence related companies

4.3M

Access to skilled talent across the Greater Toronto Area

Strategically positioned to power world-class innovation, advanced industrial modernization, mission-critical technology and national security capabilities.



Robotics & Automation



Rapid Prototyping



Advanced Manufacturing



Training & Testing



Auto & Aero Supply Chains



Tooling & Precision Machining

Sector Profile

Space, Defence & Cybersecurity





Space

Home to the MDA Space HQ and a growing constellation of space suppliers, powering the World's next generation of space missions.



Defence

Powered by Roshel HQ and a strong network of OEMs, suppliers and advanced manufacturers serving national security and global forces.



Cybersecurity

Anchored by Rogers Cybersecure Catalyst at Toronto Metropolitan University, a national centre of excellence.

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National Defence OEMs

25

Industry Leaders

#2

Tech Cluster in North America



Powering Talent and Workforce

Sheridan College, Centre for Intelligent Manufacturing: State-of-the-art applied research facilities supporting robotics, IoT and smart manufacturing.

Sheridan College, Centre for Applied AI (CAAI): At the forefront of advancing AI research and application development.

Sheridan College, Magna Skilled Trades Centre: Home to skilled trades and apprenticeships programs in CNC machining, construction, electrical, plumbing, welding, and machining.

Algoma University, School of Computer Science and Technology: Ideal location to grow a talent pool specialized in the technology and research industries - attracting a global student base.

Rogers Cybersecure Catalyst: Canada's national cybersecurity accelerator, training and certifying the next generation of talent while supporting startups in a digitally driven defence landscape.

Innovation in Action

MDA Space: Trusted Canadian space technology leader for 50+ years in Brampton, specializing in geointelligence, robotics and satellite systems.

Roshel Smart Armoured Vehicles: Canada's first ballistic steel facility, making Roshel the only armoured vehicle manufacturer worldwide to control the full production process from steel to assembly.

Horstman Canada (RENK Group): Suspension systems for combat mobility, reinforcing Brampton's global defence supply chain.

Brannon Steel: Custom machining and fabrication for military applications, delivering precision steel components.

A. Berger Precision: High-precision defence components; secured \$4.7M in FedDev Ontario funding to accelerate R&D.



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Brampton is recognized as one of Canada's Top 20 investment locations by Site Selection Magazine, a testament to the city's strategic location, diverse talent pool and thriving sectors like Defence and Advanced Manufacturing, which features automation, data analytics and sustainable innovation.

